## Court Forbids Secret Hearings In Meyer Probe

Appellate Division, Refusing to Punish J. A. Leach on Contempt Charge, Rules **Against Executive Session** 

Serious Blow to Inquiry

Committee Will Continue Work If It Requires Six Months, Says Chairman

The Appellate Division of the Su-

sesses in executive session. Justices Page and Clarke dissented from the Pershing Acts as natority opinion on this point. State Senator Schuyler M. Meyer, chairman of the committee, said that he was not certain that the court intended to rule on that subject, but if it intended to forbid the examination of witnesses except at public hearings the decision would have far-reaching and serious effect upon the work of the committee. Seen as Serious Obstacle

"The policy of the city officials to hamper and block the committee in its investigation has been so pronounced," he said, "that we have been seriously handicapped working with the facili-ties we have so far had at our dis-posal. Our difficulties will be inten-sified should witnesses avail themselves of the ornortunity appagently present

the committee had a chance to put questions to them. The order itself, a copy of which was obtained from a corvice.

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Order Sent to Policemen

made public the fact that police-had been examined this week at

Celebration of the 145th Anniversary of American Independence Monday, July 4, 10 A. M. regard to their relations with the bu-

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## Release of Bedford Boy

Theft of Automobile Took ace While He Was on Way to a Sanatorium

BELLPORT, L. I., July I. Mrs. sarles E. Bedford, wife of the vice-esident of the Vacuum Oil Company. said to-day that the family had re-ceived word of the arrest of her son, Charles Bedford, in Michigan City, Ind., and his conviction for the theft of an automobile there. A physician, she announced, had been sent West to obtain custody of her son as a medical case.

Young Bedford, who is the grandson Edward T. Bedford, well-known abman of Brocklyn, had been in a sanatorium for more than a year, never having completely recovered from a severe attack of scarlet fever. While

On Aid to Service Men From The Tribune's Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON, July 1 .- John J. Pershing, General of the Armies, toas supreme commander of the military the Comptroller he looked at it and rien, who will be interrogated consing the order for all policemen sub-ined by the committee to report to Corporation Counsel before re-Members of the committee have asserted that the purpose of this order was to gain an opportunity to coach all Police Department witnesses before the committee had a chance to put

id:
"The obligation is imposed upon all irrsonnel adjutants throughout the many, recruiting officers, and regular did organized reserves, to aid their as fortunate comrades. Such officers all at once familiarize themselves with e orders and circulars relating to e War Risk Insurance Bureau, in so fortunate comrades. Such officers at once familiarize themselves with orders and circulars relating to War Risk Insurance Bureau, in so was refer to renewal or conversion of insurance, co pensation, medical or dental treatment, hospitalization and vocational training, so that intelligent assistance and ad-vice may be afforded ex-service men in

Under the plans approved by Secretary Weeks, General Pershing will be relieved by General Harbord of all the routine duties of the office of chief of staff and will devote his principal attention to training the regular army, organized reserve and national guard, which he personally will command in the event of war. While General Pershing's advice will be sought by the War Secretary on matters of policy and administration, Mr. Weeks has announced that no drastic changes are nounced that no drastic changes are contemplated in the present general staff, which he will seek to convert into the chief supply agency of Pershing's army.

## NotHarding's'Col. House,'

LONDON, July 1 (By The Associated Press).—Dr. Nicholas Murray Butter, president of Columbia University, has emphasized to all inquirers during his present visit here that he had not come to Europe as "President Hardings to Columbia University, has emphasized to all inquirers during his present visit here that he had not come to Europe as "President Hardings Columbia University, has emphasized to all inquirers during his present visit here that he had not come to Europe as "President Hardings to Columbia House" and that any suggest ton to that effect was preposterous and of the universe that the tendence of the trucks, are held to-night in the didesex County Jail under \$5,000 they were the town yellow the held and the trucks, are held to-night in the trucks, are held to-night in the trucks, are held to-night in the trucks were limited. The police doubt their story.

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some prominent British spokesman that any misunderstanding on this point is mischievous and constitutes a real danger. I have, therefore, concluded that the best thing to do is to tell such folks simply and bluntly that Harvey spoke the real truth and I'm doing it."

Shot to Death in Central Park A man about thirty years old was found dead yesterday in the Ramble, in Central Park, opposite Seventy-third Street. There was a bullet wound in his head and a revolver with one cartified discharged was in his hand. He had been dead several hours. The initials "S. S." were in his straw hat.

Were tied behind her with another towal and her feet were bound with the stowal and her feet were bound with the stowal and neat time late yesterday afternoon by Chief of Police H. C. Irons, of Franklin, N. J.; County Detective Ferd A. David and Detectives Joseph Kinney and John Manning, of Newark. After statements had been obtained from each the men were arraigned before Recorder C. C. Webber and held as material witnesses.

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She was janitor of the building in which she lived and collected \$200 from tenants in the house, but the money had been deposited in a bank and it is not known whether her murderer obtained any money or valuables.

Miss Tancra told the police that Mrs. Kospovich had told her Thursday evening of two young men who called on the head and a revolver with one cartification. The police are looking for them.

Sought as Medical Case Damages Are Sought as Re- Inspectors of Education Desult of Controversy Over Neptune Avenue School Site in Coney Island

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Shallow and his countries of their lives."

The matter of the Coney Island school site was on the calendar of the Board of Estimate yesterday. Comptroller Oraig and Associate Superintendent Shallow both were present, and motion of the Mayor, all the

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., July 1.-Three his commission of a crime. en, who say that while they were in charge of two automobile trucks con-Dr. Butler Tells British other merchandise valued at \$120,000, taining silks, automobile tires and

# sought by the committee for weeks for examination in connection with contracts in Queens, was found by its process servers yesterday, but refused to answer any of the questions put to him on the ground that the answers might tend to incriminate or degrade with the degrade of the committee for weeks for examination in connection with contracts in Queens, was found by its process servers yesterday, but refused to answers might tend to incriminate or degrade of the committee for weeks for examination in connection with contracts in Queens, was found by its process servers yesterday, but refused to answers might tend to incriminate or degrade of the committee for weeks for examination in connection with contracts in Queens, was found by its process servers yesterday, but refused to answer and the connection with contracts in Queens, was found by its process servers yesterday, but refused to answer and the connection with contracts in Queens, was found by its process servers yesterday, but refused to answer and the connection with contracts in Queens, was found by its process servers yesterday, but refused to answer and the connection with contracts in Queens, was found by its process servers yesterday, but refused to answer and the connection with contracts in Queens, was found by its process servers yesterday, but refused to answer and the connection with contracts in Queens, was found by its process. Suit on Craig Hylan Scandal

partment to Comfort pl Tammany With Lenfent police Picture of Conditions

"You say you are not guilty?" demanded the judge.
"No sir," replied Shaneson. "I never

his own administration, inspectors of the Department of Education were sent to the forty schools visited by the women, to investigate conditions and

years. In addition the actual amounts appropriated also were requested.

Each day The Tribune has been in-

would have twenty days the regime of Mayor Hylan, for the very good and specific reason that the

time the alarm was sounded

was any other than the mere routine fire drill." MI. Wingebach also stated that the school is equipped with fire extinguishers, any of which could have been put to use if necessary. The Tribune in reporting the incident was informed that the captain of the nearby fire station after inspection had found the fire hase absolutely realess.

## hose absolutely useless. Mr. Wingebach states there is no fire hose in the school and that to his knowledge no Cocaine Worth \$200,000 Imported in Olive Oil

After Theft of 2 Trucks on Road Near Metuchen

The Court Fuled that under the compelled to furnish evidence against himself. Had the drugs been declared, the court ruled, Captain Reed would have been furnishing evidence against himself of

### Burns a State Witness In White Sox Scanral

## Judge Denounces Officers Hylan Regime Who Beat Prisoners

Judge McMahon in the Brooklyn chers in custody to the penitentiary when William Shaneson, of 695 Seneca Avenue, pleaded guilty to stealing a bicycle and in the same breath explained that he was not guilty but wished to avoid being beaten by the

Comptroller Unworried

Anxious to Solve Problem

Says He Will Bring Counter
Claims That Will "Take
Shirt Off" His Accuser

A coat of whitewash is about to be applied to the forty schools which and outrageous. A prisoner should be applied to the forty schools which and outrageous. A prisoner should be secure from injury when in the custody secure from injury when in the custody of an officer. I propose to see that he is secure in so far as I can bring that

of Harry Kay, twenty-two years old, owner of a concession in Henderson's Walk, who was charged with disorderly conduct. Kay was paroled until July 8 in custody of Julian Caradda, his

## **Excessive Prices** Reported Drag on

Edmund C. Lynch Says Tourists Find Charges
Are Unreasonably High;

In another proceeding brought against Comptroller Craig, who refused to permit payment of salaries to employees of the commission from an unployees of the commission from an unployee of the commission from th

that there was room for greater advancement. The French merchants, shopkeepers and hotel owners, he said, were making a great mistake in charging exhorbitant prices, as it was not conducive to the creation of big business.

liquidating these securities, which has caused them to drop in price. The french market is full of fine bargains in securities."

Mr. Lynch said that on Tuesday he

### Senator France Bumping To Moscow in Dirty Car

RIGA, July 1.—United States Sentor Joseph I. France, who plans to onfer with Russian Soviet officials rel-

Imported in Olive Oil
Although the Comptroller said it was a waste of public money, the board voted \$25,000 in serial bonds to place on Riverside Drive permanent benches similar to those recently installed on upper Fifth Avenue.

The board granted to the Board of Water Supply additional funds to the Gantskill water supply development, insuring delivery of Schoharie water coincidently with the completion of the Schoharie reservoir.

Three Who Report
\$120,000 Hold - Up Are Held by Police

Conflicting Stories Related by Chauffeurs and Aid After Theft of 2 Trucks

Imported in Olive Oil

Narcotic drugs valued at \$300,000 were seized by customs officials yesterday on board the Fabre Line steamship Fatria, docked at the foot of Thirty-first Street, Brooklyn. The consignment was concealed in an oil of Thirty-first Street, Brooklyn. The consignment was concealed in an oil was loaded at Palermo and is covered by a Sicilian manifest.

Federal Judge Chatfield in Brooklyn yesterday suatained a demurrer taken by Captain Reed, of the steamship provided for Bolshevik diplomats on the trip from Riga to Moscow, and in which distinguished guests of the Some unexplained reason. The car in which Senator France left had a capacity which would give accommodations for fourteen persons, and promise and Aid After Theft of 2 Trucks

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In each of fifteen barrels of clive oil 100 bottles of cocaine were found. The oil was loaded at Palermo and is covered by a Sicilian manifest.

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Senator France and his companion had one small compartment entirely to themselves. There was no bedding except a mattress, but the Senator had provided his own sleeping hag. "I will be perfectly comfortable," the Senator declared as his train pulled out. "I have travelled, stand-ing, before this."

### 2,000 at Coney Threaten Strike for 40 P. C. Raise

chilcago, July 1.—The announcement of a list of witnesses to be used by the state in the prosecution of the former White Sox players and the alleged gamblers charged with having been implicated in the 1919 baseball scandal to-day caused a stir when it was discovered that the list contained the name of William Burns, a former Chicago American League team player. For some time there has been much speculation as to whether Burns had turned state's evidence.

Surprise also was manifested at the appearance of the name of Joe Gedeon, former St. Louis player, who was called before the grand jury which originally investigated the baseball scandal were included in the list made it appear that the state will try to get into the records the confessions which were and to have been made, although later repudiated, by Joe Jackson, Eddie Cicotti and Claude Williams.

Girl Finds Her Landlady

Bound and Strangled

Vera Tancrz, who rented a room from Mrs. Anna Kospovich, on the second floor of 115 Chrystic Street, found her landlady lying across her bed dead

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for last night's proposed meeting. It was said that an open-air meeting would be held to-day. RESORTS

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# Ordered to Pay Transit Board

Appellate Court Grants Mandamus Requiring Application of Unexpected Balance of Original Fund

Johnson's Argument Fails

Special California Counsel Contended Law Creating Commission Was Invalid

The legality of the new Transit Commission and its right to have funds appropriated by the Board of Estimate for salaries of commissioners and em-About."

Another case of alleged beating by policemen was presented in the Coney sland Court yesterday on arraignment. This body granted a writ of mandamus. This body granted a writ of mandamus requiring the board to reappropriate counsel, who said that Kas had been beaten by the police. Caradda said several policemen with nightsticks beat Kay until he was unable to stand and that the attack was without provocation. ation originally made for the old the court directed that the board appropriate a sum in excess of \$1,000,000 asked for by the commission to cover its expenses from July 1 to December

French Business

Hiram M. Johnson, of California, especially retained by Mayor Hylan as counsel for the City of New York, who argued that the creation of the new Transit Commission and its powers and purposes were a violation of the principle of home rule.

In another proceeding branches

Hotels Are Criticized expended balance of \$368,895, Justice Whitaker a few days ago granted a mandamus directing the Comptroller to pay the salaries. Several proceedings have been brought on various pha of the objections raised by Ma Hylan to the Transit Commission, legislative act creating it and things which the Mayor feared commission intended to do. In all

> sition to this application ave got to no relevancy at the present time. We pect to do have considered the vital ones and in tourists reach the conclusion that the applications goes tions should be granted." RESORTS



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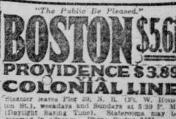
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